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Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Additional Fee
Total Effective Claims 33	minus 33	= 0	X \$18 = \$ 0.00
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